

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A method of test receiving alternative reception frequencies in a receiver receiving a continuous flow of information of a digital broadcasting transmission at a first reception frequency, the continuous flow of information including user terminating information, the receiver including an information transfer routine that extracts a flow of specific user terminating information from the received continuous flow of information, the method comprising:

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predicting an interruption in the form of a natural break in the flow of specific user terminating information, based on an indication of the end of the specific user terminating information;

~~based on the behavior of the specific user terminating information,~~ evaluating the interruption to determine whether it will be of an adequate length of time, and generating a positive response if it is evaluated that the interruption will be of an adequate length of time;

changing the reception frequency of the receiver from the first reception frequency to an alternative reception frequency if the evaluation has generated a positive response;

test receiving the alternative reception frequency;

enabling reception and extraction of the flow of specific user terminating information.

2. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, wherein the continuous flow of information is a terrestrial digital video broadcasting (DVB T) transmission.